

SENATE BILL 223 (LRB -2699)

An Act to renumber and amend 15.91; and to create 15.91 (2) of the statutes; relating to: composition of the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System.

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06-02.	S.	Introduced by Senators Lassa, Kreitlow, Holperin, Hansen, Vinehout, Schultz and Harsdorf ; cosponsored by Representatives Smith, Rhoades, Hixson, Soletski, Garthwaite, Grigsby, Turner, Danou, Molepske Jr., Shilling, Montgomery, Kestell, Townsend, A. Ott, Brooks, Lothian and Murtha.	
06-02.	S.	Read first time and referred to committee on Agriculture and Higher Education	188
08-11.	S.	Public hearing held.	
09-22.	S.	Executive action taken.	
09-22.	S.	Report passage recommended by committee on Agriculture and Higher Education, Ayes 4, Noes 1	315
09-22.	S.	Available for scheduling.	
11-04.	S.	Placed on calendar 11-5-2009 by committee on Senate Organization	400
11-04.	S.	Senate amendment 1 offered by Senator Lassa (LRB a0959)	399
11-04.	S.	LRB correction	401
11-05.	S.	Read a second time.	
11-05.	S.	Senate amendment 1 adopted .	
11-05.	S.	Ordered to a third reading.	
11-05.	S.	Rules suspended.	
11-05.	S.	Read a third time and passed .	
11-05.	S.	Ordered immediately messaged.	
11-05.	A.	Received from Senate	500
11-05.	A.	Read	500
11-05.	A.	Rules suspended and taken up	500
11-05.	A.	Read a second time	500
11-05.	A.	Ordered to a third reading	501
11-05.	A.	Rules suspended	501
11-05.	A.	Read a third time and concurred in , Ayes 59, Noes 34	501
11-05.	A.	Ordered immediately messaged	501
11-06.	S.	Received from Assembly concurred in.	

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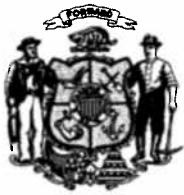
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(November 4, 2009)

1. Page 2, line 20: delete "Rust" and substitute "Rusk".

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June 2, 2009 - Introduced by Senators LASSA, KREITLOW, HOLPERIN, HANSEN, VINEHOUT, SCHULTZ and HARSDORF, cosponsored by Representatives SMITH, RHOADES, HIXSON, SOLETSKI, GARTHWAITE, GRIGSBY, TURNER, DANOU, MOLEPSKE JR., SHILLING, MONTGOMERY, KESTELL, TOWNSEND, A. OTT, BROOKS, LOTHIAN and MURTHA. Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education.

1 **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 15.91; and *to create* 15.91 (2) of the statutes;
2 **relating to:** composition of the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin
3 System.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, 14 citizen members serve on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System. This bill divides the state into seven geographical areas, called districts, and requires that at least one citizen member of the Board of Regents reside in each district. The requirement takes effect on January 1, 2015.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 15.91 of the statutes is renumbered 15.91 (1) and amended to read:
5 15.91 (1) There is created a board of regents of the University of Wisconsin
6 System consisting of the state superintendent of public instruction; the president,
7 or by his or her designation another member, of the technical college system board
8 and; 14 citizen members appointed for staggered 7-year terms; and 2 students

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1 enrolled at least half-time and in good academic standing at institutions within the
2 University of Wisconsin System who are residents of this state, for 2-year terms.

3 **(3)** The student members may be selected from recommendations made by
4 elected representatives of student governments at institutions within the University
5 of Wisconsin System. The governor shall appoint one student member who is at least
6 18 years old and one undergraduate student member who is at least 24 years old and
7 represents the views of nontraditional students, such as those who are employed or
8 are parents. The governor may not appoint a student member from the same
9 institution in any 2 consecutive terms; the 2 student members who are appointed
10 may not be from the same institution; and a student from the University of
11 Wisconsin–Madison and a student from the University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee
12 may not serve on the Board of Regents at the same time. If a student member loses
13 the status upon which the appointment was based, he or she shall cease to be a
14 member of the board of regents.

15 **SECTION 2.** 15.91 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

16 15.91 (2) At least one of the citizen members shall reside in each of the following
17 districts:

18 (a) District number one, consisting of Ashland, Barron, Bayfield, Burnett,
19 Chippewa, Douglas, Dunn, Eau Claire, Iron, Lincoln, Oneida, Pierce, Polk, Price,
20 ~~Port~~ Sawyer, St. Croix, Taylor, Vilas, and Washburn counties.

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21 (b) District number 2, consisting of Brown, Calumet, Door, Florence, Forest,
22 Kewaunee, Langlade, Manitowoc, Marathon, Marinette, Menominee, Oconto,
23 Outagamie, Portage, Shawano, and Waupaca counties.

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(c) District number 3, consisting of Buffalo, Clark, Crawford, Grant, Iowa, Jackson, Juneau, La Crosse, Lafayette, Monroe, Pepin, Richland, Trempealeau, Vernon, and Wood counties.

(d) District number 4, consisting of Adams, Columbia, Dane, Green Lake, Marquette, Sauk, and Waushara counties.

(e) District number 5, consisting of Dodge, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan, and Winnebago counties.

(f) District number 6, consisting of Green, Jefferson, Kenosha, Racine, Rock, and Walworth counties.

(g) District number 7, consisting of Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Washington, and Waukesha counties.

~~Section 3. Effective date.~~

~~(1) This act takes effect on January 1, 2015.~~

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**SENATE AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2009 SENATE BILL 223**

November 4, 2009 – Offered by Senator LASSA.

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1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 3, line 12: delete lines 12 and 13 and substitute:

3 ***SECTION 3m. Nonstatutory provisions.**

4 (1) Notwithstanding section 15.91 (2) of the statutes, as created by this act, any
5 person serving as a citizen member of the Board of Regents of the University of
6 Wisconsin System on the effective date of this subsection may continue to hold office
7 and exercise the powers and duties of that office until his or her successor is
8 appointed and qualified.

9 (2) Notwithstanding section 15.91 (2) of the statutes, as created by this act, the
10 governor shall make appointments to the Board of Regents of the University of
11 Wisconsin System so as to bring the membership of the board into compliance with
12 section 15.91 (2) of the statutes, as created by this act, by January 1, 2012.”

13 (END)